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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of the period set for reply to the Office action mailed July 27, 2005, to make the date for reply January 27, 2006. The Director is authorized to charge the amount of \$1,020.00, in payment of the fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3), to Deposit Account No. 06-1075 (Order No. 001329.0001). And the Director is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required in connection with this paper, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075 (Order No. 001329.0001). A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed herewith.